

BATTLE OF WILLS IN RUHR CENTERS ABOUT TAXATION

Invaders Impose Tribute on
Wines, Tobacco and
Cigarettes.

By United Press
DUSSELDORF, March 2.—The struggle of wills in the Ruhr centered today on the issue of taxation.

Following announcement by the German government that all goods upon which taxes had been paid to the French and Belgians would be confiscated by the civil authorities, General Degoutte announced the invaders' plan.

Collection of taxes on Ruhr products is the new Franco-Belgian scheme for securing a portion of the reparations payments they are missing through occupation. General Degoutte today decreed such collections effective on all wines, tobacco and cigarettes sold in the occupied area. Hotels and citizens who refused to pay, in defiance of the government's orders, will be given protection by the armies of occupation.

The situation narrows down to a shopkeeper being forced to decide whether, when he makes a sale of articles on the new tax list, he prefers to pay up to 40 per cent to the French and Belgians, and run the risk of having the goods confiscated or whether he chooses to refuse payment to the invaders, and have them seize and confiscate the goods.

HARVEY SOOTHES BRITISH FEELINGS

Ambassador Toasts Prince of
Wales at Dinner.

By United Press
LONDON, March 2.—Any British feelings that may have been ruffled by Ambassador George Harvey's remarks Wednesday about the British debt probably were soothed by Harvey's warm references to the Prince of Wales at the American University Union dinner last night. The dinner was in the Prince's honor.

Hailing Wales as the "white prince" the American ambassador proposed the toast, and declared that from the moment the Prince had visited the United States Americans have felt an increasing desire to acquire some proportion of proprietorship in him. Replying, the Prince said: "When we get together like this, we bring out each other's good points and come out better Anglo-Saxons than when we went in."

MRS. LOVIRA DEPUTY FUNERAL AT ST. PAUL

Aged Woman to Be Buried Near
Birthplace—Was 72.

The Rev. Mangus E. Runden, pastor of the Seventh Presbyterian Church, will officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Lovira Deputy, 72, who died Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles R. Yoke, 791 Southern Ave. Services will be at 10 a. m. Saturday at the Yoke home, with burial at St. Paul, Ind.

Mrs. Deputy was born near St. Paul. She had lived in Indianapolis many years. She was the widow of Dr. Addison C. Deputy, for a number of years a prominent dentist here. Surviving are a son, Clyde S. Deputy, and a daughter, Mrs. C. R. Yoke, both of this city; two sisters, Mrs. T. A. Elmen of Colorado, and Mrs. William Roberts, of Worthington, Ind., and a brother John Shelhorn, near St. Paul, Ind.

RELATIVES DELAY PLANS

Funeral Arrangements for A. A. Stubbins Postponed.

Relatives of A. A. Stubbins, 78, owner of the Linden, who died at Miami, Fla., Wednesday night, were still awaiting word today from the South before making funeral arrangements. Immediately upon his father's death, Fred Stubbins, manager of the Linden, left for Miami to make arrangements to bring the body to Indianapolis for burial.

Stubbins was a hotel owner and operator for sixty years. According to his custom he was spending the winter in Florida.

DUNES PROJECT SUCCEEDS

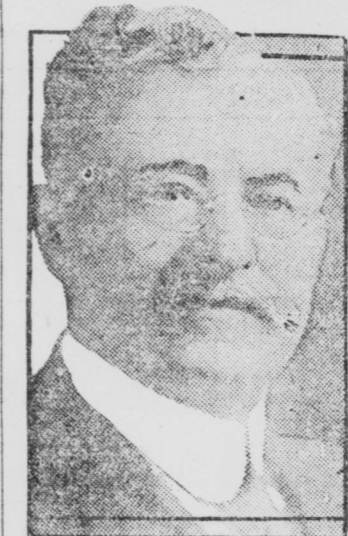
House Passes Measure Creating New
State Park.

After passing in the House by one vote over the constitutional majority of 51, the bill providing for the purchase by the State of a tract three miles long along the south shore of Lake Michigan, in Porter County, for a dunes park was before the Senate today. The bill is sponsored by the conservation department. The vote in the House was 51 to 24.

The bill carries a tax levy of 2 mills a year for seven years to raise money with which to purchase the ground, consisting of approximately 2,000 acres.

School Book Measure
A move by Senator...
Commissioner...
School books at...
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Gets Job as Porto Rican Governor



Representative Horace Mann Townner of Iowa, above, has been nominated by President Harding as governor of Porto Rico to succeed E. Mont Rolly, resigned. Townner, a Republican, was born in Belvidere, Ill., in 1855. He entered upon a law career and took his first step in national politics in 1911. He lives at Corning, Iowa.

PLEA FOR EQUESTRIANS

Senator Buchanan Urges Establishment of
Bridle Paths.

"Make the city's parkways and boulevards safe for equestrians," was the plea of Senator Charles J. Buchanan, former president of the Indianapolis Saddle Club today. He urged this before the board of park commissioners Thursday.

Senator Buchanan said there are no streets or boulevards in the city where horseback riders can feel safe and that all lovers of saddle horses in the city feel bridge paths ought to be established along the boulevards and in the parks.

Charles A. Bookwalter, president of the park board, assured the Senator these paths are being included in all new plans for boulevards and drives now being prepared by George E. Kessler, landscape artist for the board.

LONG FIGHT NEAR END

Senate Votes for Salary Increase for
Judges.

The end of a long fight to increase salaries of Supreme and Appellate Court judges was in sight today, following passage in the Senate late Thursday of Representative Graham's House bill, 39 to 15. It now goes to the Governor.

The measure increases the salaries from \$6,000 to \$7,500 a year. Every Legislature in recent years has rejected a similar bill.

CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CLOSES SATURDAY NIGHT

Exodus of Officials Will Start
on Adjournment of
Body.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, March 2.—The first rumblings of a great exodus of Government officials, Congressmen, politicians and lobbyists from the Nation's Capital were heard today.

With the death of the Sixty-Seventh Congress tomorrow night or Sunday, the movement will be in full swing and by early next week Washington will be a "deserted village"—speaking officially and politically.

The prospective absence of a Congress from Washington—from March to December—will be the longest rest the Nation has had from legislative oratory since before the war. The final gavel of the session will be the signal for a series of junkets, vacation trips and "itinerant" investigations that will strip Washington of its leading public men.

The rank and file of the great exodus will be composed of members of Congress going home or on vacations. President Harding will join in the movement Monday when he and Mrs. Harding leave for a month's vacation in Florida. With the presidential party will be Secretary of War and Mrs. Weeks, Brigadier General Sawyer, Speaker Gillette of the House, Chairman Lasker of the shipping board; Attorney General Daugherty, Secretary Christian, Senator Frelinghuysen and others.

FACES LIQUOR CHARGE

Police Allege John Shaller Spent Dog
Tax Money for Booze.

John Shaller, 231 E. New York St., was under arrest on the charge of intoxication today. Shaller was arrested at 10:30 Thursday night, when the police were called to 247 N. Delaware St. Shaller had been employed as a deputy assessor by Michael Jefferson. Police allege Shaller spent dog tax money for booze.

HOUSE REFUSES INCREASE

Salary of Monument Keeper Will Re-
main at \$1,200.

A bill providing for an increase from \$1,200 a year to \$1,500 a year for the superintendent of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument was dead today, having been voted down by the House Thursday afternoon. The bill had passed the Senate.

'HEIRS' START FIGHT FOR 500 MILLION ESTATE

Property Includes Most of City of
Wilmington, Del.

By United Press
CHICAGO, March 2.—The "heirs" to the \$500,000,000 Springer estate, which includes most of the city of Wilmington, Del., met here today to plan legal proceedings to gain control of the fortune.

Mrs. Mary Springer McMahon, Cedar Rapids, Ia., announced a nationwide organization of heirs would be formed to fight for the property, which she declares, was wrongfully kept from the rightful owners for nearly 200 years.

GOVERNOR HOLDS FATE

Senate Passes Bill Providing for Re-
moval of School for Blind.

A measure providing for the removal of the State School for the Blind from its present location to another site in Marion County, which passed the Senate late Thursday, 35 to 1, now goes to Governor McCray.

Representative Addington, a former student of the school, is author of the bill, which carries an appropriation of \$200,000 and provides that a commission of five, appointed by the Governor, shall select a site of not less than twenty acres.

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BODY OF SOLDIER IS BROUGHT HOME

Rites Saturday for Private
Killed in Honolulu.

The Morristown (Ind.) Masonic
Lodge will have charge of the funeral

services Saturday of Private Charles R. Benson, 23, who died Jan. 23 near Schofield barracks, Honolulu, as the result of an airplane accident.

Benson was born near Sulphur Hill, Ind. He was graduated from the Indianapolis Technical High School. He enlisted in May, 1922, and was stationed with the Eleventh Signal Corps at Schofield barracks.

He is survived by five brothers, John W., Fresno, Cal.; Harry and Herbert of Indianapolis; Robert and Edgar of Shelby County, and two sisters, Mrs. Layman Van Gorden and Miss Kathleen of Morristown.

TWO MEN EXECUTED AT OHIO PENITENTIARY

Murderers Die in Electric Chair at
Columbus.

By United Press
COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 2.—Two men were executed at Ohio penitentiary today.

Five applications of electricity were necessary before the prison physician pronounced Henry White, negro, dead. White was convicted of murdering his wife.

Charles Arnold, 65, went to the chair jauntily. Arnold was found guilty of choking his landlady.

Fire Destroys Elevator
LINTON, Ind., March 2.—Fire destroyed the Blackwood & Morgan elevator at Bens, eight miles south of here. No insurance was carried by the company. Loss was estimated at \$10,000.

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